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TAGS: BENC, ENRG, MX
SUBJECT: DOS BOCAS PORT PROJECT

REF: (A) STATE 167833, (B) MEXICO 11462

1. EMBASSY WAS APPARENTLY MISINFORMED BY PEMEX REGARDING
DOS BOCAS PORT FACILITY. WE HAVE NOW LEARNED FROM OUTSIDE
SOURCES THAT IN FACT THE PROJECT HAS A PRESIDENTIAL GO
AHEAD. THE FACILITY WILL BE A SINGLE POINT MOORING SYSTEM
ROUGHLY 15 KILOMETERS OFF DOS BOCAS AND WILL HANDLE
TANKERS UP TO 100,000 DWT. FULL PROJECT WILL INCLUDE
STORAGE FACILITIES, TWO OFFSHORE PIPELINES AND THE SINGLE
POINT MOORING SYSTEM. ESTIMATED COST IS \$150 MILLION.

2. PROJECT IS BEING VERY CLOSELY HELD BY PEMEX. NO
BIDDING IS EXPECTED AND THOSE CLOSE TO THE PROJECT BELIEVE
A MEXICAN FIRM HAS ALREADY BEEN AWARDED THE
CONTRACT. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE PROJECT IS NOT
EXPECTED UNTIL OCTOBER.

3. PARTIES INTERESTED IN THIS PROJECT CAN CONTACT OFFICIALS
NOTED IN REF B. IN ADDITION, EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT ING.
JESUS CHAVARRIA OF PEMEX HAS FURTHER INFORMATION.
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